FISCAL NOTE

HB 2301 - SB 2837

February 16, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates the Strike Out Stroke Project in the Department of Health. The program is to educate and train health professionals in dealing with high blood pressure and other risk factors; educate and train the public on related issues, and raise public awareness about stoke and hypertension through a public awareness campaign.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$178,500 Recurring \$50,000 One-Time

Cost estimate includes the addition of 4 staff positions in the Department of Health, printing, postage and other related costs necessary to disseminate information about strokes. One-time cost represents funds for production of media marketing materials.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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